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OUTLINES.

W. H. Stuart, American Vice Consul at Batoum, Russia, was assassinated on Sunday night——The Liberals in the Republic of Panama are threatening a revolution against the government and the United States Marines and Canal Zone police are preparing to prevent interference on the canal zone; the United States also threatens to interfere outside of the zone——President Roosevelt yesterday refused to receive an emissary from Americans on the Isle of Pines, sent to tell him that if he does not interfere the Americans will revolt against Cuba——Opposition has cropped out in the Senate against the giant battleship provided for in the House naval programme——According to a decision of the United States Supreme Court filed yesterday, Senator Burton of Kansas will have to serve six months in jail pay a fine of $2,500 and be forever debarred from holding an office under the government——The Southern Presbyterian General Assembly at Greenville, S. C., yesterday, discussed the question whether a convert in a polygamous country should be required to give up all but one of his wifes——The General Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at Birmingham yesterday, received a vigorous committee reply to protests against any change in the statement of faith——Secretary Taft's estimate of expenses for this year's work on the Panama canal is $26,348,281, of which $9,315,498 is for officers employed otherwise than skilled and unskilled labor——Dr. Richard Lewis, of North Carolina, at the annual meeting of presidents of State Boards of Health in Washington, outlined a system for preventing consumption——The House of Representatives yesterday amended the act as to the standard of value so that $100,000,000 of the required gold reserve of $150,000,000 can be kept in gold bullion instead of coin——New York markets: Money on call easy 2 to 3 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 3, closing bid and offered at 2; spot cotton quiet 11.90; flour firmer; wheat firm, No. 2 red 93 nominal elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 57 1-2 nominal elevator; oats firm, mixed 39 to 39 1-2; turpentine firm 61 1-2 to 62; rosin firm.

Probably and also quite likely Senator Lodge will not care to stand for President Roosevelt in the Senate any more.

A dispatch says: "A Boston woman rushed up just in time to save her husband from marrying another woman." To others besides the wife, it would appear that the other woman was the one that was saved.

"The Senate has passed the rate bill and it is safe at last," says an exchange. Not so sure about that. President Roosevelt may decide to do something spectacular when it is laid before him for his signature.

If Senator Chandler had thought of it, he might have recollected that it is President Roosevelt's long suit to be misunderstood by people who try to "quote" him. He always warned people not to try to "quote" him.

Statistics given out by the Agricultural Department show that there are now in the United States 18,718,578 horses compared with 14,364,667 nine years ago. This should encourage horses to hold up their heads when the automobile scoots by.

Now that the debate in the Senate over the rate bill is all over the courts should be more careful with the prerogatives that were about to be taken away from them because some of the courts have gone on heretofore like they were the whole thing.

Some newspapers keep asserting that President Roosevelt says he will not be a candidate for President in 1908. The newspapers may be called prevaricators, if the President should decide to make another race and explain it by stating to the country that he didn't say it.

The House of Pepresentatives on Saturday defeated the anti-graft (cotton leak) bill because it put a stigma upon members of Congress as they were included among department officials and attaches to be punished if they give out information held as government secrets. The Congressmen forget that the bill also put a stigma on the Department officials.

A dispatch from New York yesterday stated that Mrs. Jefferson Davis was greatly improved. It was officially stated last night at the Hotel Gerard that her condition had continued to improve all day and that she was better than she had been at any time since her illness began.

DIED IN HIS PULPIT

Sensational Scene at Funeral in Colored Church Here Yesterday Afternoon.

AGED PREACHER FELL DEAD

Officiating at Big Lodge Funeral, Rev. John Hooper Was Stricken With Heart Disease and Succumbed Immediately—Obsequies.

Just as he had arisen and read one or two sentences from what is known in the ritual as the "family testimonial" at a large colored funeral under the auspices of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, at Price Memorial church, near Twelfth and Dock streets, yesterday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock, Rev. John Hooper, the venerable colored pastor of the congregation, was seen to fall in a heap behind the sacred desk and before medical aid could be summoned by the large number of mourners at the funeral, who surrounded the chancel and bore the lifeless body out, the man was dead. The incident caused great excitement at the church among the large number of colored people assembled and for the time the corpse resting before the altar was forgotten.

The venerable colored preacher was between 70 and 80 years of age and for 26 years had been presiding elder of this district of the colored Methodist church. Before that time he was pastor of St. Luke's A. M. E. Zion church, one of the largest and most influential of the colored congregations in this city. A year ago, on account of failing health, the venerable colored man gave up the office of presiding elder and became pastor of the little church in which his death came so suddenly and under such unusual circumstances yesterday afternoon.

The funeral at which he was called to officiate was that of David Shepard and the colored Odd Fellows had turned out in a body to do honor to their deceased member. The body had just been borne in, placed before the pulpit and a hymn sung. Rev. Hooper arose to read the "family testimonial," a part of the lodge exercises, and had only spoken a few words when he fell suddenly. Prominent members of the congregation ran to his assistance, but he was unconscious. He was carried to the house of a friend across the street, but before medical aid could reach him, he was dead. The funeral had to be deferred and the body of Shepard, after the excitement subsided, was buried in Oak Grove cemetery.

Rev. Hooper leaves a wife and two sons, David and D. J. Hooper, none of whom was present when the sudden death came to the husband and father yesterday. The remains of the venerable colored man will probably be taken to his old home at Piney Bluff, up the river, for interment to-day.

FUNERAL OF MRS. WAGNER.

Many Gathered Sunday to Honor Venerable and Beloved Woman.

One of the largest gatherings ever seen at a funeral in the country was present Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church on Masonboro Sound to attend impressive services conducted by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., of this city, over the remains of the late Mrs. John G. Wagner, whose death occurred Saturday. The floral offerings were very pretty and on every hand were heard expressions of regret at the death of the good woman. The interment was in the Hewlett burying ground, near the church, the pallbearers having been. Honorary, Capt. F. W. Ortman, Capt. T. H. Johnson, Messrs. J. H. Bornemann and Elijah Hewlett; active, Messrs. E. S. McGowan, W. H. Huhn, John H. Risley, James P. Herring, Geo. W. Rogers and C. E. Parker.

Besides the children of Mrs. Wagner named in Sunday's paper, there are also two sons, Messrs Jere and James A. Hewlett., Their names were inadvertently omitted from the names previously given.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Consolidated Co.—Gas Ranges.
C. P. Bolles & Co.—4 to 7 Per Cent.
W. B. Cooper—Who pays the Freight
L. M. Noble and F. E. Herbst—Automobiles Chartered.
Cape Fear Trading Co.—Groceries Quick.
Atlantic National Bank—Your Deposit.
Academy of Music—Slater's Comedians.

Business Locals

Empire—Help Wanted.
Wanted—Young Men Boarders.
Hitchcock Publishing House—Agents Wanted.

BIG MONDAY WITH THE POLICE

Negroes Who Stole Brass From Coast Line in Court Yesterday With Others—Arrests For To-day.

Mayor Pro Tem. Martin O'Brien presided over the municipal court yesterday noon in the absence of Mayor Waddell who has not yet returned from his Norfolk trip. There were a dozen or more offenders, nearly all of them of more than passing interest.

On his way home from night duty early yesterday morning, Policeman Leon George came upon John Williams and John Moore, colored boys, well laden with some material in tow sacks that later proved to be brass fittings bearing the mark of the Atlantic Coast Line. Officer George halted the youngsters at Third and Grace and Third and Walnut streets and ascertaining the character of their burden, tok them to the station house where the property was later identified by a round house foreman of the Coast Line. The value of the metal is something like $18. The Mayor Pro Tem. held the boys in bonds of $100 each, which neither could give and went to jail for the Superior Court.

Mamie Garfield, colored, drunk and disorderly at Nutt and Walnut streets, arrested by Officer C. E. Wood, was fined $5 and costs, which she arranged to pay.

Bertha Nelson, a notorious white woman whose associates are the vilest of the black race, was arrested by Officer Alex Wells at Front and Grace streets Saturday night for being drunk and disorderly. She went to the county farm for 15 days.

John Black, whose name betrays the color of his skin as well as his heart, was charged with being drunk and disorderly on the Coast Line yards and resisting Watchman John Sumlin, who made the arrest. He was fined $5 and costs or given 15 days on the roads.

John Lewis, the young negro caught in the act of rolling half a barrel of beer out of the Darley Park Brewery as the place was being closed up Saturday night, was sent over to Superior Court, going to jail in default of $100 bond.

Tom Reynolds, colored, drunk and down and arrested by Officer J. S. Lane at Fourth and Harnett streets, was fined $5 and costs.

Mary Atkinson and Willie Griffin, both colored, charged with an affray, arrested by Officer W. M. Harris, were each let off with the costs.

The docket in the police court will again be heavy to-day. Fred Fillyaw, colored, was arrested by Officer Harris about noon yesterday at Eighth and Orange streets, for insulting a colored woman. When searched by the officer two razors were found on his person. Last night three or four others were brought in for the docket to-day. Robert Howe, who was disorderly about the market house Saturday night and successfully resisted Capt. T. H. Johnson, the clerk, was picked up last night. Jim Hill, another negro, was drunk and disorderly on Market, between Front and Second streets. A gentleman, accompanied by a lady exposed to the remarks of the insolent negro, hunted up a policeman and had the offender arrested. Old man Joe Moloid, a bricklayer, got on a rampage and was gunning for another negro at Fourth and Bladen streets between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. An officer, came along reminded Old Man Joe that it was not open season for gunning and he and his pistol were taken to the guard house.

BIG AUTOMOBILE ATTRACTION.

New and Popular Amusement for Wrightsville This Summer.

A very handsome Pope Hartford, twenty-horse power touring car, capable of developing a maximum speed of forty miles an hour, arrived yesterday for the Atutomobile Touring and Amusment Company, composed of those two clever young men, Messrs. L. M. Noble and Fred. E. Herbst, who will use the machine in establishing a motor course at Wrightsville beach during the coming Summer. As previously stated the course will be from Lumina, the attractive "people's pleasure place," on the southern end of the beach, to Moore's Inlet, a distance of several miles. Parties will be taken for the trip and back or for the one trip, if desired, at a nominal cost and the sport promises to be one of the most popular at the beach this season. Early next week a station will be erected on the beach front for the automobile line and on June 1st, the attraction will be put in operation.

The car is a very handsome one, and until it can be placed in service at the beach it will be kept for charter by the owners in this city. The new machine was on the streets yesterday and attracted much attention. It has seating capacity for six and runs as smoothly as an air ship.

BUDGET OF EXPENSES

Estimated Expenditures of Municipal Government For New Fiscal Year

CONFERENCE LAST NIGHT

Except as to Salaries Appropriations Practically Agreed Upon at Meeting of Two Boards—Mounted Police; Other Improvements

Except the question of salaries, which is a matter of regulation by the Board of Audit and Finance alone, the budget of city expenses for the ensuing fiscal year was practically agreed upon at a conference of the two boards of the city government in the room of the Board of Audit and Finance last night. While it is not thought that any changes are contemplated in the executive departments of the city so far as salaries are concerned, it was considered at the meeting last night, that it was a useless consumption of time to discuss the matters of increase before the conference of the whole, while only one of the boards had finally to pass upon the matter. The increase in the pay of policemen, firemen and health officers, in the way of providing a fund of $5 per month each for uniform and equipment, was considered favorably, but no action will be taken until it is necessary to finally pass upon these questions.

Every member of both boards was present at the conference and the work was considerably simplified by a tabulation of the various committee recommendations, made by Capt. T. D. Meares, clerk of the Finance Board, who also had made a comparative statement of the proposed expenditures with those under the heads of the various departments last year. The work was gone through with rapidly, and it was the remark that the Board of Audit and Finance was exceedingly liberal in granting nearly every appropriation asked for. The budget will total something like $6,000 in excess of the actual expenditures the past year, but it is considered, of course, that the revenue will be very much greater for the coming year. In view of the fact that a new system of sewerage and water is to be laid during the coming year, scant provision is made for permanent street improvement, but it is contemplated that as soon as the legislative authority can be obtained, this work will be taken up on a comprehensive scale with funds to be provided by a bond issue. It was almost a tacit understanding last night that some such plan of public improvement would be evolved by the time all the proposed mains and laterals for water and sewerage are laid. The appropriation allowed last night is only sufficient to provide for completing the contract for material from the city rock quarry and laying the same on the streets with curbing and drains where property owners desire to lay sidewalks.

During the course of the discussion on providing five extra mounted police, which was agreed upon, Alderman Johnson made an attack on the present management of the police force, saying in the day time there were seven officers kept at the hall while only four were on beats all over the city. Chairman Karr, of the Committee, and Chief Williams, both of whom were present, made a defence of the management of the force and Chairman McQueen, of the Finance Board, who presided at the conference, ruled that the discussion was out of order, being a matter for the Aldermen alone.

At the conclusion of the conference, Chairman Yopp, of the Finance Committee of the Aldermen, suggested that the service of a messenger to the Mayor be dispensed with and that the appropriation for that purpose be used in providing a third man to do outside work from the City Clerk and Treasurer's office. This did not meet with favor, Alderman King and others taking the position that there is already sufficient force in the office.

In lieu of a salary for the cattle weigher, it was decided to let that official have the fees from the office in lieu of the salary previously paid amounting to about the same.

The matter of building stables on the site of the old city pound for the housing of the 30-odd mules and horses belonging to the city and the carts, wagons, etc. in the street and sanitary departments, was left open until bids for stabling the live stock are obtained from local liverymen. An appropriation of $800, or so much as is necessary, was made for housing the horses for the mounted police in the City Hall yard.

The proposed budget as tabulated by Capt. Meares was read to the conference in its order and the items for the various departments were agreed upon unless there was some objection. Under head of Streets and Wharves, the proposed increase of the salary of Superintendent of Streets from $900 to $1,000 was left over. Two extra drivers, five laborers and some incidentals were allowed in this department with no other changes. The permanent street work appropriation includes $12,000 for rock contract; 40 car loads of curbing and $1,000 for pipe, brick, etc., making a total of $17,600.

The police appropriation includes five mounted men and their mounts with arrangements for their keep. With the extra amount for equipment and uniforms, the increase in this department is about $8,000.

The Public Buildings appropriation includes $100 for repairs to Hook and Ladder and Engine Co., No. 2 stations; $750 for Chemical Engine Co.; No. 1; $250 for Engine Co. No. 3; $500 for Front street market; $600 for removing old hook and ladder hall and building Fifth Ward market with a possible sale of some of the land, and $300 for repairs to the City Hall building.

The Fire appropriation includes an extra man for the fire boat, $300 for fire alarm and $300 for fire boat, with incidental repairs.

The Light appropriation provides for 10 additional arc and 10 additional gas lamps and an increase of the oil light service.

The Sanitary appropriation provides for two additional drivers, two additional teams, two men to lay drains and some incidental work.

The Water Works appropriation remains the same except $7,500 or so much thereof as is needed is set apart for an expert service in the proposed municipal ownership proposition.

An increase of $60 per year is allowed the janitor at Front Street market.

The Library is provided for in a special appropriation of $1,200, as previously agreed upon.

Other changes in the budget are of minor consequence. The matter of public wells is left open, but an appropriation of $125 is allowed for a new pump and hydraulic ram for a perpetual flow at the City Hall well. A petition from citizens in the vicinity of Eighth and Wooster streets, offering to pay $75 on the cost of a public deep well there was presented by Alderman Johnson.

PYTHIAN BENEFIT MAY 31

Talented Young Baltimore Actor and Wife Will Head Company of Favorite Local Thespians Here.

The Knights of Pythias of the city have just completed arrangements with Mr. Edouard D'Oize, a talented young actor of Baltimore, Md., for the presentation of "Damon and Pythias" at the Academy of Music in this city on Thursday night, May 31st, under K. of P. auspices. Mr. D.Oize will be assisted by local talent the cast of which was selected at an enthusiastic meeting of Pythians with the director last night. The cast embraces the names of some of the most popular local thespians and the benefit is sure to prove a great success, not only because of the great popularity of the Pythians in Wilmington, but because the production will be really meritorious and significant of the beautiful principles which actuate the order everywhere.

Mr. D'Oize and Mrs. D'Oize have given the production, assisted by local talent, in over one hundred towns and cities in the United States and comes to Wilmington with the strongest endorsements of the Pythian fraternity and the public at large. Mr. D'Oize has been on the stage fourteen years, during which time he has been in the supporting company of James Young, Louis James, Frederick Warde, Robert Downing, Chas. B. Hanford and others of the great American footlight favorites. For six years he was at the head of his own company, presenting such plays as Hamlet, Othello, Shylock, Romeo and Richilieu. He is a Southerner, born in New Orleans. His father was a Baltimorean while his mother was a native of this city. In the play to be given here, Mr. D'Oize will be seen as Damon and Mrs. D'Oize in the role of Calanthe. Further information as to the big benefit production will be given from time to time as the date approaches.

THE BEACH IS OPENING.

Four Car Loads of Freight Yesterday. Demand for Cottages.

Although the cool nights hardly suggest the thought, Wrightsville Beach is already opening up very rapidly. Mid-Summer scenes are not infrequent at Lumina and many of the cottages along the ocean front are beginning to show signs of life. By June 1st. it is expected that nearly all the habitable places at that delightful resort will be filled with people. It toook four cars of the Consolidated Company to carry down the freight of yesterday. Every available cottage at the beach is said to be rented already and there is a demand for more. It is more than a mere "boost" for the resort to say that the present season promises to be the best yet by all odds.

WITH THE MILITARY

Glorious Twentieth of May Celebration at Wrightsville Beach on Yesterday

ATTENDANCE WAS LARGE

Wilmington Light Infantry and Naval Reserves Enjoyed Their Annual Outing—W. L. I. Wins Competitive Shoot—Notes.

The twentieth of May celebration by the Wilmington Light Infantry and Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, attracted large crowds to Wrightsville Beach yesterday and last night. Members of those commands and their friends flocked to the seashore all day on the half-hour schedule of the suburban cars as provided by the Consolidated Company and reports indicate that all who went for the outing had a delightful day. The weather was ideal, except a trifle cool at night, but that did not interfere in the least with the gaities of the occasion and the infantrymen and sailors declare the celebration was one of the most enjoyable in years.

Lumina and the Casino were the headquarters for the military and all day long there were good crowds at both of those places. Lunches and other refreshmens were served and the time between the several events scheduled for the day was spent in jolly comradeship.

The company shoots of both commands took place during the morning and early afternoon over a 200-yard range at a regulation target. The medal of the Naval Reserves was won by Seaman H. H. Sellars in a score of 16 out of a possible 25. On the first round there was a tie between Sellars, Murphy, Williamson and Carroll with scores of 17 each and on the tie-off, Sellars made 16, winning the event, as against Murphy, 11; Williamson, 14, and Carroll, 15.

During the day the Reserves had practice with their one-pound Hotchkiss at a floating target at sea and some very good records were made.

In the W. L. I. company shoot, Private Walter Stokley won with a score of 20 out of 25, which was regarded as exceedingly good with the stiff wind blowing at the time. Sergeant Paul L. Cantwell was in charge of the shoot under inspection of Col. C. H. White, Inspector of Small Arms Practice, N. C. N. G. The scores were as follows:

Chaplain Hogue	2 4 2 4 0—12
Morse	3 3 0 3 3—12
Smith, C.	2 5 3 4 0—14
McClintock	3 0 4 2 4—13
Peschau, W.	5 3 2 3 4—17
Holmes, E.	0 3 0 3 3— 9
Reaves	2 0 4 3 0— 9
Stokley	4 4 4 5 3—20
Slocomb	0 0 0 0 0— 0
Walker	5 4 5 3 2—19
McKoy	3 4 4 3 3—17
Cantwell	2 4 5 2 4—17
Hamme	0 0 4 3 0— 7
Banks	0 3 0 0 0— 3
Newkirk	3 2 0 4 0— 9
Meares	5 4 0 3 3—15
Bell	2 4 5 4 0—15
Poisson	3 2 3 2 0—10
Davis	3 3 0 3 4 —13
Meares, T. D.	3 3 3 2 4—15
Merritt	2 3 3 4 2 —14
Mr. Hogue	2 3 3 3 3—14
Capt. Robertson	4 3 4 3 3—17
Hatch	3 2 2 0 2— 9
Hall	0 4 0 2 3— 9
Orrell, N.	2 0 2 2 3— 9
Orrell, T. R.	3 4 3 2 4—16

The competitive shoot between the Naval Reserves and the W. L. I. was won by the team of the latter in the close score of 83 to 74. The scores were as follows:

W. L. I.:	
Walker	3 4 3 3 4—17
Stokley	4 4 4 4 3—19
McKoy	4 0 4 3 4—15
Smith	3 5 3 3 2—16
Cantwell	0 4 4 3 5—16
Total	83
Naval Reserves:	
Sellars	3 3 3 0 3—12
Yarbrough	4 4 4 3 4—19
Dudley	3 0 4 4 4—15
Murphy	0 5 5 3 2—15
Williamson	4 2 3 4 0—13
Total	74

At night the W. L. I. gave a delightful dance at Lumina complimentary to their lady friends, a large number of whom were present. The music was excellent and a large number of couples were on the floor, the military feature being made prominent with many of the gentleman dancers present in uniform. During the evening light refreshments were served by the infantry in the pavilion. The party reached the city on late cars after a very delightful day.

A Prize

Of five dollars will be given to the one making the highest score on Lumina Bowling alleys this week. **

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Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actualy published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any rate.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per inch for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

HOW ABOUT CAROLINA TIN MINES?

Last week the price of tin jumped up at an astonishing rate, and it is stated in the commercial centres that the price is phenomenally high. Ten years ago tin in around lots sold in New York at a little over 13 cents per pound, and some idea of the continual and astonishing advance in price can be had when it is stated that last week tin was selling at 49 1-2 cents with no prospect of a decline in price.

When prices went up early in the year consumers were disposed to believe that advances were artificial and were the result of a corner on tin. The Boston Commercial Bulletin, which is one of the best posted commercial papers of this country, has investigated the subject and makes the declaration that the advance in price is not on account of a corner, but because of the growing scarcity of tin. Our valued Boston contemporary speaking of the tin shortage says:

"To speak with absolute accuracy of unprovided for American requirements during the current month and June is, of course, impossible. Conservative authorities sometimes estimate, however, that the tin in sight will not more than half satisfy them. If this be true, it is not hard to believe that further recessions will not be important.

"The history of the market for ten years past proves that the demand has increased out of all proportion to the production. The enormous growth of the canning industry has meant, of course, an immense increase in consumption and how to provide for it is as yet an unsolved problem. In the Malay states, and the Dutch East Indies, the richer mines are evidencing symptoms of exhaustion. No others have as yet been found to take their place. If no new mines are discovered during the next decade, what will the price be in 1916? There is no substitute for tin. The situation, therefore, is critical. It may be taken for granted, of course, that prospecting for tin will within a few years be prosecuted with great vigor in many different lands, but of results no one at present is in a position to speak with authority."

From 13 to 49 1-2 cents is a big jump in price, and the question of exhaustion of the fields supplying tin ore adds to the interest in the discovery of tin in Gaston and Cleveland counties, North Carolina, and adjoining counties in South Carolina. Rich ore has been discovered in the Carolinas but so far as we are able to learn no development has yet revealed whether the useful and almost precious metal is there in sample quantities or in abundant quantity.

NEVER GET TOO EXTRAVAGANT.

Some time ago former Senator Wm. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, wrote this about President Roosevelt:

"His glory has not come by accident. It must be considered in its completeness, as due to his intellectual and moral greatness, the fruit of native genius, fine instincts, high aspirations, and unequalled clearness of preception; of ardent study, incessant devotion to duty as the supreme object in life, and unfaltering physical and moral courage, held in subjection to no mortal man, and only subservient to conscience as the ever-present voice in his soul of the God of the universe."

Since his misunderstanding with President Roosevelt, Senator Chandler is in easy reach of the conclusion that extravagant praise for men is not always safe and sane.

"NORFOLK'S NORTH CAROLINIANS."

In an editorial under the above caption, the Norfolk Landmark on Sunday said:

"There is something that compels unstinted admiration in the loyalty of the native North Carolinian to his mother-State. Wherever he may go, and however vigorously he may throw himself into the life and work of the community of his adopthion, the 'Tarheel' never allows anything to cut the silver cord of sentiment that ties him to the Old North State.

"Every year the North Carolina Society holds a banquet in Norfolk and renews its pledges of love and devotion. Friday evening the annual occasion was graced by the presence and eloquence of Mayor A. M. Waddell, of Wilmington, one of the most notable men in our sister State. Yesterday the Landmark made extended reference in its news columns to his speech, as well as to the remarks of other guests who captivated their hearers. Eloquence is no less distinctive of North Carolina's sons than it is of Virginia's.

"The Landmark felicitates the North Carolina Society upon the enthusiasm and success with which it carries off these delightful celebrations. The idea was a good one, and the yearly gatherings should continue. It is a pity that the Society did not catch Mr. John Charles McNeill, North Carolina's greatest poet since Lanier, as he passed through Norfolk yesterday, and compel him to stay over as a guest of honor. Mr. McNeill is not only a genius but he is a delightful fellow; a rare combination. When President Roosevelt was in Raleigh he presented to Mr. McNeill, a medal from the State Literary Association recognized his work as pre-eminent in contemporary North Carolina literature. The North Carolina Society should make Mr. McNeill come the next time. He is a member of the staff of the Charlotte Observer."

State pride is one of the Tar Heel's traits, although many people in North Carolina have, without reason, deprecated that there is not as much here as in some other States. However, we think they are mistaken. North Carolinians are loyal to their State; they are proud of her achievements; they revere her great men, and admire her splendid women; and really have as many things to boast of as anybody. By the way we are proud of Norfolk, because it is practically a North Carolina city.

HOT CAMPAIGN ISSUES.

A Washington correspondent of the Charlotte Observer of last Sunday, writes that the belief is growing that the rate bill as passed by the Senate is pretty much of a gold brick, as the Allison amendment simply takes the whole matter out of the hands of the Interstate Commerce Commission and transfers it to the courts when the rulings of the commission are called in question. The Star has heretofore stated that the people need not expect too much from the rate bill. The Observer's correspondent also says something concerning the issues in the campaign. Read this:

"There are going to be two pretty lively issues in the coming campaign. Mr. Roosevelt will have to shout 'liar' some more times before the Democratic Congressional Committee ceases to show how he dickered and then backed out on the rate question, and his friends will have to explain why the government, under him and with his written authority, ignores the American manufacturer and buys supplies for Panama in foreign lands. It is generally conceded that conditions are ripe for Democratic victory in the Fall elections. The Republicans will be more on the defensive than they have been in ten years."

It must be conceded that issues like these will be exceedingly embarrassing to the Republicans.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—The record for mileage will be held by the congressional delegate from Alaska, who will draw over $3,000 in mileage for each session, on a basis of 20 cents per mile. As the delegate will have no vote, it will be rather an expensive proposition to have him present as an onlooker.—Savannah News.

—It seems that Mrs. Stanley, calling at Governor Hoch's office, told the Governor that his daughter, whom she had just left, sent her love and lots of kisses, and the Governor said: "Well, aren't you going to deliver the goods?" Now, then, who's to blame, the lady or the Governor? What else could the poor man say?—Boston Globe.

—When the Clowes investigation was held in secret during the last session of the State Legislature, in spite of protest from that gentleman himself and from the papers, suspicion was aroused as to the management of the Williamsburg Asylum. Secrecy in handling public affairs provokes suspicion, and the suspicion is usually justified.—Norfolk Landmark.

—Charlotte will be disappointed next week at the absence of the Wilmington Light Infantry from the parade, but for years past, Wilmington has celebrated the 20th of May even when Charlotte would let the day slip by unnoticed. The Light Infantry and the greater part of the population of Wilmington always repairs to the seashore on the 20th and the usual programme will be carried out this year.—Charlotte Chronicle, May 19th.

—It is to be regretted that Hon. John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, will not be able to account of his duties in Congress to deliver an address at Davidson College commencement next week and also speak to the Greater Charlotte Club on the night of the 27th. Mr. Williams is a brilliant and able man and is coming to North Carolina was looked forward to with much pleasure by many people in this section.—Charlotte Observer.

—As a handy man to help clean up after the cook has made a mess of the dinner, Attorney General Moody displays a ready and eager capacity. This was shown in the case of the Paul Morton scandal, and the President is employing him under precisely the same tactics in the rate-bill mix-up. Mr. Moody says he is satisfied, and thinks that accordingly everybody else should be, and everybody else certainly ought to be satisfied if he can.—Springfield Republican.

—The Southeastern Tariff Association held its annual convention at Hot Springs, Va., this week. The most interesting item of the whole meeting was that it did not raise rates. The secretary's report showed that the assessments based upon the premium receipts of companies for the year ending December 31, 1904, are as follows: July, 1905, (being 3-4 of one per cent.) $84,966.16; January, 1906, (being 3-4 of one per cent.) $82,964,16; the premium receipts on which said assessments were figured were from the six States comprised in the territory of the association—Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Florida. The total assessments the previous year was 1 2-4 per cent.—Charlotte Chronicle.

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—"Define unpleasant notoriety." "Occuyping a seat in the United States Senate."—Life.

—She—Did you let father know you owned a lot of house property? He—I hinted at it. She—What did he say? He—He said, "Deeds speak louder than words."—Chicago Journal.

—Joe—Did Miss Cashleigh's father attempt to draw you out when you called the other night? Fred—Draw nothing! I was in front and he brought up the rear.—Chicago News.

—"Ah, dearest" sighed young Brokeleigh, "I cannot live without you." "Why not?" queried the girl with the obese bank balance. "Did you lose your job?"—Chicago Daily News.

—Papa (sternly)—Come here, sir, Your mother and I have agreed that you deserve a good whipping. Small Boy (bitterly)—Oh, yes, that's about the only thing that you and mamma ever do agree about.—Savannah Press.

—Cholly—"Pushing sort of fellah, that. He has been twying to cultivate my society lately——" Miss Knox—"How thoughful of him! A little cultivation wouldn't hurt you a bit."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—May Pechis—"Jack Goodley called upon me the other evening." Mr. Chellus—"Huh! How did you survive it? I suppose he talked about something idiotic all the time——" May Pechis—"Well, yes, he spoke about you quite a great deal."—Philadelphia Press.

—Landing Him—"Miss Ethel," he began- "or, Ethel, I mean—I've known you long enough to drop the 'Miss,' haven't I? She fixed her lovely eyes upon him with a meaning gaze. "Yes. I think you have," she said. "What prefix do you wish to substitute?"—Cleveland Leader.

—Playing a Popular Role—Othello had just smothered Desdemosa. "She had awakened him twice to walk the baby, three times to hunt burglars in the cellar and twice to close the back parlor windows so the rain wouldn't come in," explained his friends. Fearing, however to make the tragedy too somber, Shakespeare wrote up a different version.—New York Sun.

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1st—A lot beginning in the Eastern line of Dickinson Street 99 feet South of the Southern line of Gwynn street, runs South with said line of Dickinson street, 33 feet; thence East parallel with Gwynn street, 100 feet; thence North parallel with Dickinson street, 33 feet; thence West 100 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 2, Block 213.

2nd—Beginning in the Southern line of Wright street, 82 1-2 feet East of the Eastern line of Fourth street; thence East along Wright street, 33 feet; thence South parallel with Fourth street, 66 feet; thence West parallel with Wright street, 33 feet; thence North parallel with Fourth street, 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 20.

3rd—Beginning in the Western line of Ninth street, 198 feet North of the Northern line of Wright street, runs thence North with said line of Ninth street, 20 feet; thence West parallel with Wright street, 116 feet; thence South parallel with Ninth street, 20 feet; thence East Parallel with Wright street, 116 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 3, Block 38.

4th—Beginning at the Southwest corner of Thirteenth and Dawson streets, runs West with the Southern line of Dawson street, 100 feet; thence South parallel with Thirteenth street, 33 feet; thence East parallel with Dawson street, 100 feet; to Thirteenth street; thence North with the West line of Thirteenth street, 33 feet to the beginning, being part of the Eastern half of Lot 1, Block 42.

5th—All of Lot 1, Block 518, being 66 x330 feet.

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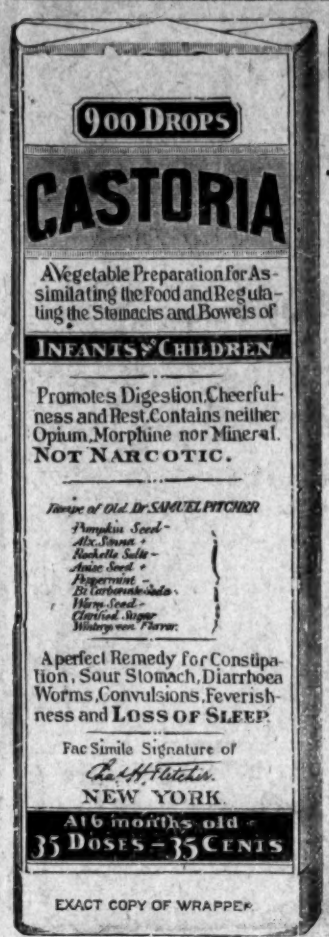
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The W. G. Jarrell Machine Company has been chartered with a capital stock of $25,000 to establish machine shop in Charlotte.

—On Saturday the Lexington Democratic primaries endorsed Simmons for the United States Senate and Page for Congress.

—In conformity with a plank in the last North Carolina State Democratic platform Representative W. W. Kitchin has introduced a bill, in the House at Washington, placing restrictions on the authority of inferior Federal Court judges by which they are enabled to throw corporations into the hands of receivers.

—The centennial observance of the opening of the first public brick building for school purposes will occur in Newbern Tuesday, June 26. Hon. Hannis Taylor, of Washington, D. C., has accepted an invitation to deliver the address for the occasion, and other exercises will be of an interesting and impressive nature.

—Julius Hudson, who killed Holly Hudson Thursday morning near Benson, Johnston county, has been placed in jail at Smithfield on a warrant charging him with murder. Justice Connor instituted habeas corpus proceedings on Friday, the case being made returnable before Judge Council at Lillington Tuesday.

—A charter has been granted the Asheville Automobile & Transit Co., which is given power to operate automobiles or other vehicles over the public roads in Buncombe and elsewhere, and transport passengers and freight, to have the right of passage over any public road. D. G. Norland and several other Asheville business men are the stockholders.

—Rev. Dr. F. D. Swindell, pastor of the Methodist church at Wilson, who was thrown out of the buggy during a runaway last Thursday evening, is improving. It was first thought that Dr. Swindell's hip had been dislocated but this is not the case. The doctor's accident was quite serious as he narrowly escaped falling on the stone curbing when thrown from the buggy.

—At Durham on Saturday the jury in the Hodges case returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree after having been in the jury room 30 minutes. They were given the case at 4:24 o'clock and at 4:56 they sent word that an agreement had been reached. Hodges brutally murdered his wife. He was sentenced by Judge Ferguson to be hanged June 29th. His counsel gave notice of appeal.

—Charlotte Chronicle: Mr. Arthur H. Lowe, the new president of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association has appointed Messrs. D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, and Charles H. Fish, of Dover, N. H., as representatives of the association at the meeting of the international Federation of Master Cotton Spinners' and Manufacturers' Association, which convenes in Bremen, Germany, June 25th. The meeting will be very important.

—Raleigh dispatch, Sunday: "There were prayers for rain in the Raleigh churches to-day. Bishop Cheshire, who preached in Christ church, referred to the need of prayers for fruitful seasons and said it was to be regretted that these were not more generally offered. The next three adys will be "rogation days," when there will be prayers for this end. The bishop took occasion to say that the crop situation in this State was now very serious, by reason of the drounght."

—The Democratc Executive Committee of Johnston county, met at Smithfield on Saturday. W. W. Cole, chairman for the past six years, resigned and F. H. Brooks was elected to succeed him. The township primaries were called for June 2nd. A convention to elect delegates to Judicial. Congressional and State conventions was called to meet at Smithfield, June 4th, when the country will be).'*). 4th, when the county convention to nominate candidates will he called.

—Paul and Beverly Moore, children of Rev. A. L. Moore, of Martinsville, Forsyth county, aged seven and 16 years, were drowned near the new dam on Smith's river, about two miles from that town last Thursday afternoon. The boys had been to the river to carry dinner to Mr. Hurd, who is superintending work on the canal of the electric power plant, and it is thought that they either fell from the dam or waded in beyond their depth. Both were dead when taken from the water and all attempts to revive them failed.

—A postoffice inspector at Winston-Salem on Saturday, reported that a mail pouch had been found under the Southern Railway depot. It had been lost since December 17 last, and contained over $3,000 in checks and cash, besides a quantity of other valuable mail. A long slit was cut in the pouch, but, strange to say, the contents were unmolested. There is no clue to the guilty party.

—The Concord Ice and Fuel Company, with $15,000 capital, has been chartered. The company will build an ice factory.

—Mount Airy News: A young man Jim Midkiff, aged seventeen years, was killed at his post of duty at Kibler, fifteen miles north of this city, last Tuesday evening. The young man was working at a saw mill and the lumber from the saw is sent down the mountain through a flume. The decline is so great that a plank comes down a distance of three quarters of a mile in a few seconds. He was standing at the end of the flume and a plank struck him in the stomach.

—Mount Airy News: Mr. H. C. Cooper who has made this city his home for some time left this week for the city of Vladivostock, Russia. He will go by way of San Francisco and when he will return no one knows. Mr. Cooper owns a large estate in that city and during the riots there some months ago his property was badly injured and he goes to take care of his interests. Mr. Cooper was very popular here and made many friends among our people.

—Fire Saturday afternoon did about $2,500 damage to the woodsawing plant of George W. Vanderbilt located between Asheville and Biltmore. The fire originated in the woodsawing sheds and destroyed the buildings and machinery in addition to 100,000 feet of inferior lumber. The Asheville fire department was called on for help and two hose reels and more than 2,000 feet of hose were sent to the scene. A stream of water was brought from the nearest hydrant, nearly half a mile away, and all the hose furnished was used in bringing the one stream. Mr. Vanderbilt was on the scene shortly after the fire broke out and personally directed the efforts of the volunteer firemen in saving lumber and some nearby dwellings. These efforts of the firemen were successful in that the blaze was extinguished before the dwellings caught. Mr. Vanderbilt carried no insurance on the plant.

—Greensboro dispatch Sunday: "A sensational suicide came to light here this afternoon about 5 o'clock, when a crowd of small boys, who were playing in the lot back of the Chinese laundry, on East Market street, opposite the postoffice, found the lifeless body of Sam Lee, a Chinaman, suspended by a piece of silk cloth from an iron bolt in a room of a stable. The suicide had evidently been deliberately planned, Lee having stepped from a large goods box after carefully tying the piece of silk around his neck. Lee was about 30 years of age and came to Greensboro thirteen months ago to be associated with his brother, Henry Lee, in his laundry. The young man had been in declining health for some time, suffering from lung trouble, and only recently two or three physicians had told him that he was a marked man and gave him no hope of recovery. This very naturally greatly depressed him, and he was preparing to go to Washington to take treatment."

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Like any itchiness of the skin.
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G. W. Fouts, Postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At all drug stores. 50 cents.

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36-in. Silkoline, guaranteed fast colors, 12 1-2c. quality, at	10c.
34-in. 34-in. Denim, suitable for Draperies of all kinds at 20c value	12 1-2
36-in. Cannon Cloth, present value 15c. now	10c.
40-in. white lawn, 12 1-2 value to be sold at	10c
40-in. White Lawn, 15c. value, to be sold at	12 1-2c.
40-in. White Lawn, 18c. value, to be sold at	15c
27-in. Cotton Voille, in all colors, worth 15c., to close out at	10c
27-in. Cotton Taffeta, in small neat effects, worth 18c., for	12 1-2c
36-in. Colored Madras, full line to select from, at	12 1-2c
One lot of colored Silks, 27-in. and 21-in., to go at	55c.
27in. Oxford Suitings, guaranteed fast color, to be sold at	21c
500 yards Iona Wash Flannels, guaranteed fast colors, at	28c
Ladies' All-Linen Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled, at	10c. each

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Notice!

Notice is hereby given that we have this day sold our Ice making plant and Ice business to R. W. Wallace, Trustee.

In retiring from the Ice business we wish to thank this community for their generous support, and solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Tuesday Morning, May 22.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., May 21, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Monday, May 21st.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; 8 P. M., 68 degrees; Maximum, 75 degrees; Minimum, 60 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.69.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Monday, 3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday; light to south winds.

PORT ALMANAC—May 22.

Sun Rises .....4:49 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:03 P. M.
Day's Length .....14 hrs., 11 m.
High Water at Southport .7:45 P. M,
High Water at Wilmington.10:15 P. M

OPENING OF SUMMER STOCK.

Slater's Comedians Pleased Large Audience—Matinee To-Morrow.

With a bill that thoroughly pleased a large audience and with bright, snappy specialties that received numerous encores Slater's Comedians opened a week's engagement at the Academy last night, inaugurating the Summer stock season.

The play, "The Diamond Robbery," was well presented. It was strong in action, but was especially rich in comedy, which at once proved popular with the house, and in the principal comedy role, that of "Peter Crump," Mr. Joseph H. Slater was excellent. Miss Reta Ratcliffe as "Mary Marshall" was sweet and attractive. Her portrayal of this role won much favorable comment. The specialties were exceedingly clever and received well merited hearty applause. The "turns" were new and bright and as clever as any seen on the Academy boards this season. The illustrated songs were particularly pleasing, as the views were new and beautiful.

To-night the company will be seen in a modern comedy, "Nobody's Fool," and in this play the company is said to be very clever. A special matinee will be given to-morrow afternoon when the prices will be 10 and 20 cents.

BLADEN STREET M. E. CHURCH.

"Children's Day," on the Sabbath, a Great Success.

Sunday was a day of great interest at Bladen Street Methodist church, being given over to exercises for the children, who were present with their parents in unusually large numbers. At 11 o'clock, Rev. A. J. Parker, the pastor, preached a fine sermon on Christian education and at night the children had charge of the service, a splendid programme having been carried out.

The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants, ferns and flowers. The children did their parts well; it would be hard to tell which did the best. The singing was well nigh without fault. The Bladen Street church Quartette delighted the audience with a fine selection. The house was packed long before the hour for the beginning and possibly enough people to fill another such house either stood near the door and windows, or were turned away. Bladen Street needs a larger church building. The children showed careful training at the hands of the committee composed of Mrs. M. L. Stover and Miss Mary Ella Moore. The people of are to be congratulated upon the success that attended their efforts.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DIVINE.

Impressive Services from Residence Yesterday Morning.

In the midst of a large assemblage of friends at the family residence, No. 314 Grace street, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, impressive funeral services were conducted over the remains of the late Mrs. Augusta Elizabet Divine, wife of Capt. Jno. F. Divine, who passed away Saturday night. The services were by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, and the funeral hymns were by a special choir. The floral tributes were numerous and very pretty indeed.

The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Dr. T. S. Burbank, Dr. Geo. G. Thomas, Messrs. W. N. Royall and M. J. Corbett; active, Col. Walker Taylor, Messrs. W. C. Peterson, S. H. Burt, J. D. Nutt, Percy Munson, S. P. Collier, J. H. Watters and W. G. Pulliam.

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Everybody

Goes to Lumina—the place to spend the day. Restaurant now open. Bowling, Bathing, music and dancing.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The next sailing of the steamer Frostburg from Baltimore is June 2nd.

—Tom Knight, the well known colored excursion manager, announces an excursion to Fayetteville, on June 4th, returning same day.

—Knight's excursion to Newbern yesterday consisted of eight coaches aboard which there were about 300 passengers, most of whom were colored.

—The excursion of the Ladies' Aid Society of Brooklyn Baptist church, on the steamer Wilmington to Carolina Beach to-day, promises to be a delightful affair. All friends are invited. Refreshments will be served both on the boat and at the beach.

—By prizing a bar from a rear window, thives entered the saloon of Mr. J. W. Capps, 119 South Front street, Sunday night. Two registers in the store were rifled and $11.75 in cash was stolen with a quantity of liquor and cigars.

OXFORD ORPHANS' CLASS.

Concert This Evening in Boys' Brigade Armory—Commendation.

The singing class from the Oxford Orphans' Asylum will arrive in the city to-day and this evening will give a concert in the auditorium of the Boys' Brigade armory. The class is on its annual tour of this section of the State and their efforts deserve the most liberal patronage of the people.

A friend of the cause, writing from Boardman, gives the following account of the concert given there Friday night under the auspices of Boardman Lodge No. 536, A. F. & A. M.

"The building with a seating capacity of 250 people was filled to the uttermost, every seat being taken, and the aisles filled with chairs, besides a large number remaining outside. The concert was a grand success in every particular, the receipts including donations amounting to $117. The children were met on the train before arrival at Boardman, by a committee from the lodge, who took charge of them, and escorted them to their respective homes, where they were handsomely entertained. To-day they left for Chadbourn, where they will perform to-night, remaining there over Sunday, thence going to Whiteville, and on to Wilmington. The singing and recitations were all that could be desired, beautifully executed. As the good people of Wilmington will have an opportunity of seeing and hearing the concert. I know they will give liberally for such a cause in aiding the orphans at their Oxford Home."

DEMOCRATS OF DUPLIN.

County Convention Called—S. A. Middleton for Corporation Commission.

The Duplin County Democratic Executive Committee met at Kenansville yesterday and appointed Saturday, June 2nd, for holding the primaries—and June 4th for holding the county convention. The committee yesterday endorsed S. A. Middleton, of Hallsville, Duplin county for Corporation Commissioner. Mr. Middleton is one of the leading business men of Duplin, a member of the Board of Directors of the State Hospital at Raleigh, a member of the State Democratic Executive Committee and a director of the Southern National Bank of Wilmington. His friends are confident that he will make a strong race for member of the Commission and believe that his chances are good for election.

LOCAL TAX FOR SCHOOLS.

Districts Voting Amounts Everywhere. Excitement Kills Negro.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 21.—The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has received notice of the carrying of local tax elections for the improvement of public schools, two in Sampson county, at Newton Grove and Garland, one in Granville, at Creedmore and three each in Randolph county, at Mathews, Carraway and Glenco. Altogether forty-two local tax elections have been carried in various parts of the State since December I and a large number are pending with every prospect of success.

Sunday afternoon, at Dawson Street Methodist Church, colored, an old negro woman became greatly wrough up during the service and after shouting at a great rate for some time dropped dead in her tracks. The wildest excitement prevailed for some time and several persons were injured in a stampede from the church which followed. The woman's name was Rachael Wilder. The church is known as "Need More."

Funeral of Mr. Greer.

The remains of the late Thos. W. Greer, who died in Norfolk Saturday, arrived Sunday on the Seaboard Air Line and were taken to the home of Miss Jerusha Greer, on Dawson, between Third and Fourth streets, from whence the funeral was conducted at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning by Rev. M. J. Duryea, assisted by Rev. W. H. Davis. The interment was on Myrtle Grove Sound, the pall-bearers having been: Messrs. M. G. Tiencken, Jno. Walton, B. M. Hill, D. L. T. Capps, Jas. M. Hall and Joe Brothers.

—Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. Charles Cagle, who takes the management of the Hotel Tarrymore at Wrightsville, left yesterday afternoon for Wilmington, and will go thence to Atlanta on business for the Tarrymoore."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. T. C. Johnson, of Vineland, was here Sunday.

—Mr. Neil D. Emerson spent Sunday in Fayetteville.

—Capt. W. E. Kyle, of Fayetteville, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. Jno. H. Land, of Chadbourn, was a Wilmington visitor Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crumpler, of Clinton, are guests of Mrs. Baggett, in this city.

—Justice John J. Furlong was unable to be at his office yesterday, being confined to his home by a slight indisposition.

—Mr. Croswell Ragin, travelling passenger agent of the Atlantic Coast Line with headquarters in Goldsboro, spent Sunday in the city.

—Mr. F. M. Ross, of the Siwasa grocery, was summoned to Charlotte Sunday by a telegram announcing the critical illness of his sister.

—Capt. J. VanB. Metts returned yesterday morning from Hot Springs, Va., where he attended the annual meeting of the Southeastern Tariff Association.

S. S. EXCURSION TO-DAY.

Children of First Presbyterian Church Will Go to Southport.

The annual excursion of the First Presbyterian Sunday School will take place to-day and the trip will be to Southport on the steamer Sea Gate, which will leave her wharf, near foot of Market street, at 9.30 o'clock this morning, returning in the afternoon. All friends of the school are cordially invited and will find a day in Southport at this season of the year very pleasant.

SPECIAL RATES, SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY.

Charlotte, N. C.—N. C. State Board of Medical Examiners and N. C. State Medical Society, May 23rd-June 1st, rate one, one-third fare plus 25 cents round trip certificate plan.

Nashville, Tenn.—Peabody College Summer Schools for Teachers-Vanderbilt Bible Institute, June 11th-August 10th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Hot Springs, Va.—Southern Hardware Jobbers Association and Manufacturers' Association, June 12th-15th, one first class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Knoxville, Tenn.—Summer School of the South, June 19th-July 27th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—Summer School for Teachers, June 13th-July 24th, rate one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Athens, Ga. — University Summer School, June 26th-July 27th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Charlotte, N. C. — North Carolina Teachers Association, June 18th-22nd, one, one-third fares plus 25 cents for round trip on certificate plan.

San Francisco, Cal.—Los Angeles, Cal. —National Education Association, July 7th-14th, from Raleigh, $77.50; Wilmington, $77.50; Charlotte, $77.50; corresponding low rates from other points.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Sunday School Institute July 15th-August 5th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Bible Training School July 22nd-31st, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Woman's Congress July 30th-August 20th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

Asheville, N. C.—Convention Commercial Law League of America, July 30th-August 4th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Lexington, Ky. — National Grand Lodge United Brothers of Friendship and S. M. T., one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Birmingham, Ala.—General Conference M. E. Church, South, Birmingham, Ala., May 3rd-June 1st, rates to be announced later.

Hampton, Va.—Department Encampment of Virginia and North Carolina Grand Army of the Republic April 19th-20th, certificate plan rates.

Richmond, Va. — Virginia Funeral Directors Association, May 16th-18th certificate plan rates.

Wrightsville, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th-21st, rate one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

For further information as to rates from your city, time-tables, schedules, etc., call on your nearest Agent or address.

C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

C. F. RYAN,
General Passenger Agent,
Portsmouth, Va.
W. B. ROSE, C. T. A.

SPECIAL RATES TO

Raleigh, N. C., and Return Account of N. C. Summer School and Teachers' Assembly, June-July, via Seaboard Air Line Ry.

Account of the Teachers' Assembly, Raleigh, N. C., June 12th-15th, the Seaboard will sell round trip tickets from all points in North Carolina, including Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk Boykins, Va., at rate of one first-class fare plus 25 cents, plus $2.00 for round trip, the $2.00 being the membership fee. Tickets sold July 11th-14th with final return limit of June 18th. By deposit of ticket with Special Agent, Raleigh, N. C., on or before June 18th and payment of fee of fifty cents same can be extended until July 7th, the allowing those so desiring to remain over to the Summer School.

Account of the Summer School, Raleigh, N. C., June 16th-July 6th, Seaboard will sell round trip tickets rate of one fare plus 25 cents for roundt rip, from same points as will apply for the Teachers' Assembly, with eight selling dates, June 15th-16th-18th, 19th, 25th and 26th, and July 2nd and 3rd. with final return limit July 7th.

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Raleigh, N. C.

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

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Wednesday, May 23, to June 2.

A sale with Unparalled Bargains.
Half of our stock must be sold by June 1st.
Entire Store to be remodelled. Will be twice the size it is now.

Rebuilding Prices

will be published in a few days.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

may 13-tf.

Mrs. Burkheimer Dead.

Mrs. Mary A Burkheimer, relict of the late Henry Burkheimer, died at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at Trenton, N. J., to which place she removed a few years ago from this city. Mrs. Burkheimer was 87 years of age and death followed a general decline due to age. Until a few years ago she was a resident of this city. She is the mother of Mr. Henry Burkheimer, of this city. Mr. Burkheimer left last night for Trenton to accompany the remains here for interment.

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goods of all sorts may be procured of us. Our prices are very moderate and the

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of the work we do cannot be surpassed. Let us figure on the contract if you are thinking of equiping your building with any Electrical appliance. We make a specialty of Electric Fans.

SOUTHERN ELECTRIC CO.,
Wilmington, N. C.
may 13-tf.

PENT UP ENERGY LET LOOSE.

People Are Appreciative.

This is what happens every time an order is 'phoned to Hall's drug store. They have a compound Bicycle Delivery and prescriptions are sent for, filled and returned to any part of the city at no additional cost, and the people are beginning to appreciate the service they get at this store.

Other stores have rendered a like service for many years, when requested to do so, but they have never worked this accommodating feature so persistently as has Mr. Hall, and as a result he is getting the business, for when drugs are needed, or a prescription is to be called for, naturally this store is thought of first, because Mr. Hall advertises that he is willing and glad to render this service.

His drugs are fresh always, and we never hesitate to recommend this store.

New Kodaks and New Kodak Goods!

Vodor Porch Shades.

Hammocks all sizes and colors.

Baseball and Supplies.

Croquet and Golf Goods.

Lawn Tennis Rackets, Nets and Balls.

Sporting Goods of all kinds at

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Wholesale and Retail Booksellers.

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ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover County at the coming election, subject to the will of the Democratic party at the primary to be held September 19th, 1906.

apr29-tf S. PERCY COWAN.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

With a high appreciation of the kindness shown me by my Democratic friends in the past in electing me to the Office of Clerk of the Superior Court of this County. I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to that office, and ask your support at the approaching primary.

JOHN D. TAYLOR.

apr 28-tf

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO.

I take this method of thanking you for the kind support given me in the past, and at same time announce myself a candidate for renomination to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Very respectfully,
apr 291m* H. McL. GREEN.

Fruit and Vegetable BARRELS.

One thousand good barrels for sale at a bargain, to make room. Just right for shipping fruit and vegetables.

THE SOUTHERN COTTON OIL CO.
Charlotte, N. C.
may 9-tf

Light, Cool Drinks For Hot, Summer Days are Fine.

Nothing more refreshing. For Imported C. & C. Ginger Ale and Delicious Ginger Ale, Apollinaris and Lithia Waters go to

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New Stand 131 Market St.
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may 15-tf

THE IRON HAT

WHERE DID YOU GET THAT NICE SPRING SUIT?
OF
HAMME,
The Hatter and Clothier,
Go and Do Likewise
LATEST STYLES AND LOWEST PRICES
24 NORTH FRONT STREET.
may 13-tf.

Valuable Tract of Timber and a Saw Mill, Tram-Track and Other Machinery.

Acting under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of a certain deed of trust, dated January 18th, 1906, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pender County, N. C., in Book No. 48, at page 3 et seq. executed by the Neal-Morse Lumber Company, to me as trustee, default having been made in the payment of the sum or sums of money secured thereunder, and being required so to do by the beneficiary therein mentioned, it will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the saw mill of said Neal-Morse Lumber Company, near Watha, (formerly South Washington), Pender County, N. C. on

THURSDAY, MAY 24th, 1906,
AT 12 O'CLOCK, M.

the following property, to-wit:

First. All of the geen and growing Saw-Log Timber standing on that portion of the Mt. Holly Swamp Farm, owned by Mrs. Elizabeth A. Murphy, estimated at two million feet.

Second. All of the lumber cut from the above tract since January 18th, 1906, and now at mill site of the Neal-Morse Lumber Company, near Watha, N. C.

Third. All of the logs now cut and lying on the ground, on the above tract.

Fourth. The tram road running through the above tract, and leading to the saw mill of the said Neal-Morse Lumber Company, near Watha, N. C., including all trackage rights, rail and tram cars.

Fifth. The Saw Mill, Engine, Boiler, Belting, and Machinery of Every Description connected with said Saw Mill, located at or near Watha, N. C., and owned by the said Neal-Morse Lumber Company.

TERMS: Cash as to as much of the proceeds as may be necessary to pay the expenses of executing this trust, including a trustee's commission of 5 per centum, and to pay the amount due and remaining unpaid of the above debt, $4,062.31, and interest thereon from the 10th day of January, 1906, till paid, and the balance if any, to be paid at such time and in such manner as the said Neal-Morse Lumber Company shall think fit, to be announced on the day of sale.

HASKINS HOBSON,
may 20-5t Trustee.

BIG BARGAINS.

Iron Safes. One Safe weight 3,500 pounds.
6 Safes weigh 1,000 lbs. each.
1 Safe weigh 500 lbs. each.
SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS.,
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apr 12-tf

Send in your orders for the famous

Harris Lithia Water

The strongest Lithia Water known and

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The best in the market.
A trial will convince you.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county Treasurer of New Hanover county, subject to the vote of the Democratis Primaries.

Respectfully,
J. A. MONTGOMERY,
apr 29-Sun 3t.

U. S. VICE CONSUL IS ASSASSINATED

Foul Deed Committed Sunday Night at Batoum, Black Sea Russia

SHOT TWICE FROM AMBUSH

Was British Subject and Man of Large Affairs—Threatened During Revolution—Not able to Identify His Murderers.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Batoum, May 21.—W. H. Stuart, the American vice consul, was shot and killed last night. The assassin escaped and the police have no clew to his identity.

Mr. Stuart was a British subject and one of the largest ship brokers and exporters of Batoum. During the revolutionary troubles of last Fall his life was many times threatened by longshoremen and at Christmas a deputation visited Mr. Stuart's office and practicaly compelled him to give them $500, under the guise of a holiday gratuity for dock laborers.

Mr. Stuart having dined at the house of a friend, was returning to his country place at Manzairjani, five miles from Batoum. He was fired on twice from a clump of trees half a mile from his home, one bullet piercing his leg and another his breast. Mr. Stearne, the British vice consul at Novo Rossiisk, who was a guest at Mr. Stuart's house, hearing the shooting hurried out with the servants and found Mr. Stuart lying on the ground bleeding from his wounds. He was still conscious, but said he would not be able to recognize his assassin owing to the darkness. Mr. Stuart was conveyed to a military barracks in the vicinity where he expired two hours later.

Aside from the troubles during the revolutionary disturbances last Fall, Mr. Stuart had had no friction with the native population. He was so generally respected that he was on several occasions called upon to act as intermediary during the racial war between the Tartars and the Armenians, saving the lives of several of the latter.

Mr. Stuart who was forty-nine years of age, had spent the greater part of his life in Russia, the last twelve years in Batoum. Besides his official connections he had extensive business relations throughout the entire Caucasus.

Scene of Foul Deed.

Washington, May 21.—The State Department received confirmation of the murder of W. H. Stuart, the American vice consul at Batoum, Russia, in a dispatch from Ambassador Myer at St. Petersburg. The dispatch merely stated that the British consul at Batoum advised the American embassy at St. Petersburg of the murder of Mr. Stuart and said the murderers escaped.

Ambassador Meyer having taken cognizance of the case, the State Department officials do not believe that it requires action at their hands at this moment. It is not doubted that the Russian government will make every effort to capture the assassins and mete out full punishment to them, and it is consequently felt to be well to allow them to proceed in that direction without further pressure.

Batoum is situated upon the east coast of the Black sea and has a population of 30,000 chiefly Turks and Armenians. The European population, including Russians, is about 5,000. It is in the heart of the Russian oil district and the shipping of petroleum is the chief industry.

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 9; St. Louis, 1.
Philadelphia, 1; Cleveland, 2.
Boston, 1; Detroit, 2.
New York, 6; Chicago, 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 6.
Chicago, 4; New York, 6.
Cincinnati, 6; Brooklyn, 4.
Pittsburg, 8; Boston, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis, 3; Atlanta, 4.
New Orleans, 9; Montgomery, 8.
Shreveport, 0; Nashville, 2.
Little Rock, 4; Birmingham, 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Charleston, 1; Augusta, 2.
Columbia, 4; Jacksonville, 2.
Savannah, 2; Macon, 0.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Norfolk, 1; Roanoke, 0.
Portsmouth, 1; Richmond, 6.
Danville, 1; Lynchburg, 6.

The rate bill as it came from the enate was considered three hours last ight by the House Committee on In-er-State and Foreign Commerce. The ommittee disagrees to the Senate mendment including oil pipe lines in s provisions as the bill would pro-ibits pipe line from conveying the roducts of a company which built the nes for the purpose. A conference asked.

HOUSE DEMOCRATS FILIBUSTER.

Speaker Cannon and Leader Williams Create Merriment Over Situation.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—The minority leader, Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, having received enthusiastic encouragement from his party in his course of obstructing legislation, began a systematic prohibition to bills in the House to-day by demanding a second on every bill coming up on suspension of the rules. Tellers were demanded on the ordering of a second and when the vote was announced Mr. Williams invariably made the point of no quorum.

During the consideration of a House joint resolution amending pension laws, "no quorum" was noted by Mr. Williams.

"The chair will count," and Mr. Cannon waived his gavel over the House.

The Speaker: The chair has counted up to 193 and has not finished the count. (Loud applause.)

Mr. Williams: (With a shrug of his shoulders), There's no telling what he would have found if her had finished.

This sally brought forth renewed laughter.

During another interruption to the passage of a bill and when the point of quorum was raised, the chair readily found a sufficient number present to do business.

Mr. Beall, of Texas, asked by what arithmetical process the Speaker reached a quorum as present.

Instantly Mr. Cannon replied. "The chair counted in blocks of ten and there is a quorum present," which brought a hearty laugh from both Democrats and Republicans.

Notwithstanding that Mr. Williams insisted upon the presence of a quorum throughout the day, delaying as much as could, the orderly proceedure of legislation, the House to-day passed twenty-two bills, six Senate and sixteen House measures.

Among the bills passed was one amending section six of an act to define and fix the standard of value. The law of March 14, 1900, provided among other things for a reserve fund in gold of $150,000,000. The law as it now stands practically provides that $100,000,000 of this reserve fund shall be in coin and virtually restricts the bullion of the reserve fund to $50,000,000. The amendment covered by the bill permits the holding of a less amount of coin and increased amount of bullion in the reserve fund. Under the amendment of the $150,000,000 one hundred millions may be bullion (bars).

The enate bill corporating the archaeological institute of America also passed the House, Mr. Longworth, of Ohio, guiding its passage dexterously notwithstanding that the bill was opposed by Mr. Champ Clark. Mr. Clark's objections were not aimed at the bill, but at the policy of Federal incorporation of societies of this character. A demand was made by Mr. Clark that the bill be recommitted.

The speaker overruled the request stating that as this was suspension day, "if it were physically possible the House could suspend the rules and pass an elephant," which remark convulsed the House.

The Senate.

Washington, May 21.—The legislative executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the Senate today within three hours from its first reading. It carries appropriations aggregating $29,815,259, an increase of $59,345 over the amount reported to the Senate. A number of unimportant measures were passed, and at 3.30 o'clock consideration was given to unobjected pension bills. At 4.45 o'clock the Senate adjourned.

GIANT WARSHIP FOR NAVY.

Opposition in Senate to Huge Vessel in House Programme.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—The naval programme providing for the construction of one great battleship of a tonnage equal to any afloat or now building, will meet opposition in the Senate, but not of such stubborn character as is thought to endanger its passage. There are several members of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs who have expressed themselves as opposed to the building of 'The Great, unwildy type of the Dreadnaught," now being constructed for the navy of Great Britain.

The battleship proposed by the programme, and provided for by the bills as it passed the House, in some features will be greater than the Dreadnaught. The tonnage must be as great as the biggest battleship now planned. This is estimated at about 20,000 tons. Its speed must be at least 21 knots, and its draft will be about 28 feet. It is in the armament that it will surpass the Dreadnaught. According to the plan for this giant defender for the British navy it will have ten 12-inch guns. Chairman Foss of the House Committee on Naval affairs, said the battleship should have twelve 12-inch guns. The South Carolina and Michigan, plans for which have recently been completed, are the biggest ships now authorized for the United States navy and will have eight 12-inch guns.

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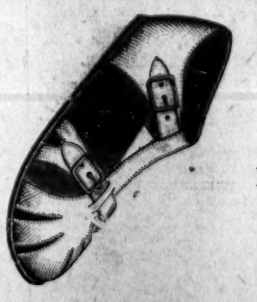

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THE RATE BILL A GOLD BRICK

Bailey Idea May Gain Ground—Texas Senator Has Gained Reputation. —Roosevelt Found Out.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Washington, May 18.—The belief is growing in Washington that the passage of Allison amendments to the Hepburn bill will have an important hearing on the next presidential campaign. As was pointed out in my last letter the Hepburn bill with the 'broad review' feature is as certain to prove a disappointment to the people as night is to follow day. It transfers the whole matter from the hands of the commission into the hands of the courts. It adds but little, if needed any strength to the commission as now constituted. It leaves the commission to remain largely an ornamental body with but little real power. These conditions will not have had ample time to demonstrate themselves until the Summer of 1908. Senator Teller put it about right last week, and expressed the feeling that many a Senator and Representative has who has not dared to utter them in print, when he said that "the people will find that they have bought a gold brick." The feeling is surprisingly general among Democrats and Republicans alike that the law is going to be disappointing.

Along with this feeling grows the idea that the reaction that will follow the demonstration of this weakness in the law will insure to the benefit of the Democrats in general and to Senator Bailey in particular. The pendulum will swing back and the Bailey idea is likely to become paramount throughout the country. On all sides it is realized that Senator Bailey has proven himself a giant of the Senate, the compeer of the ablest in that body. As the leader of an idea that is bound to become popular later on, Senator Bailey stands a good show of being the Democratic standard bearer in 1908. Mention of this was made in my last letter and the developments since then have given new ground for predicting such a hope. On every side it is being predicted that the Senator could poll the full strength of the Democracy.

Speculation is rife as to whether the widely published Bryan letter to one Wetmore in which he says that he will await the developments of the future before saying whether he would again be a candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination or not, means that he is pleased with the mention of his name in that connection or not. The gossip one hears around the Democratic cloak room and around the hotels where Democratic leaders congregate indicate that the majority of the politicians believe that Mr. Bryan would not object very seriously to being the candidate of the conservatives. It is generally conceded by those who have discussed the matter that Mr. Bryan would be about the best antidote for Hearstism that could be found in the event that Hearst should develop dangerous strength. Hearst draws his strength mainly from the laboring classes, and Bryan would be strong with the same following, so that the candidacy of Bryan would deprive Hearst of at least an important part of his greatest political asset. There is not so much Bryan strength evident at this time, neither much Hearst strength. It is true that both the chairman and the secretary of the Democratic Congressional Committee are out and out Hearst men, and were elected by the House Democrats with a full knowledge of the fact that they have been straight Hearst men.

When Theodore Roosevelt gets himself into a mess by his impetuous and too free use of his tongue he immediately calls someone a liar and ends the incident. He has been calling men liars ever since he became President. He has branded a half score of the best citizens of the United States as liars within two years. When Judge Parker said that corporations were bled by Chairman Cortelyou on the strength of facts ascertained by the Department of Commerce and Labor Mr. Roosevelt replied that he was a liar. When ex-Attorney General Whitney, of Massachuestts quoted him as favoring free hides he was branded as a liar, and the same was true in the cases of a half dozen other men of prominence. And now comes ex-Senator Chandler, who is known of all men to be honest and careful in all his statements. The President got cold feet in his fight for rate regulation and arranged with Chandler as the intermediary to get the support of enough Democrats to pass a limited review bill.

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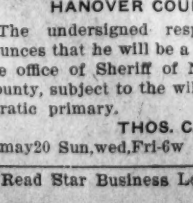

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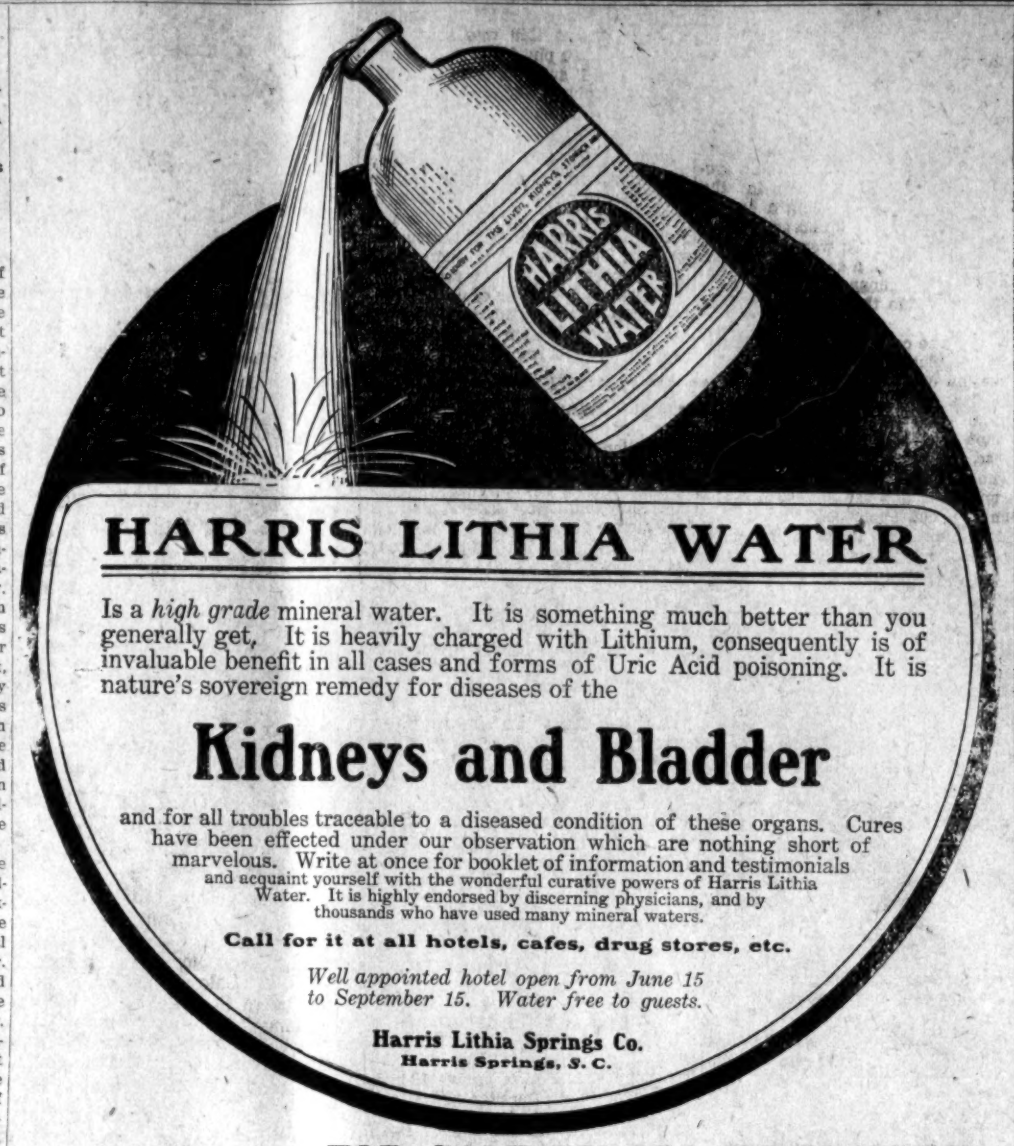

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Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 20 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	2 08 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	5 08 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7 12 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	8 00 p m	4 07 a m
A. Washington	11 40 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 15 p m

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	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

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Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

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Lv. Tampa	8 35 p m	9 00 a m
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	Leave Beach
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Tar	8
Crude	197

Receipts same day last year—55 casks spirits turpentine, 265 barrels rosin, 224 barrels tar, 322 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady at 11 3-8 cents.

Same day last year—Steady,7 7-8.

Receipts—2,010 bales; same day last year, 2,175 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 80@85c.; fancy, 90 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 65c.; fancy, 70c.; Spanish, $1.00@$1.05.

CORN—Firm, 65@66c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 13@15c. per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c.; sides dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull, 15 to 30 for small; Grown, 35@45.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@70c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c. pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 16 2-3@18.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c. per pound.

PORK—Dull. 6 to 7; hams, 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 21.—The cotton market was nervous and unsettled during to-day's session, showing a downward tendency and closing at a decline of 7 to 10 points. Sales for the day were at 200,000 bales. The opening was steady at an advance of 2 to 5 points in response to higher Liverpool cables and good spot sales in the English market. The spot sales of 400 bales were reported for late Saturday. Business was 12,000 bales at unchanged prices. Futures were 2 to 3 points higher at the house of the local opening when due to come unchanged, but the only buying here seemed to be for covering short sales made last week. The weather map made a very favorable showing and shortly after the opening the market began to work lower under scattering liquidation and a renewal of bear pressure in the absence of bull support. Profit taking by scalping shorts served to steady the market during the day and there were occasional rallies as a result of this, but the tendency was downward and the low point was reached in the late session when July sold at 11.05 and October at 10.51 or 9 @15 points net lower. The close was 2 to 4 points up from the lowest or near positions as a result of covering and the final tone was steady. Southern spot markets were generally unchanged to 1-16c. lower. Reports from the South were bearish as to crop conditions, and it was expected that the weekly bureau report tomorrow would be bearish.

Receipts cotton at the ports to-day 11,906 bales against 11,307 last week and 25,544 last year. For the week 75,000 bales against 80,430 last week, and 434,380 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 1,788 bales against 4,696 last year, and at Houston 329 bales against 4,503 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points lower. Middling uplands, 11.90; middling gulf, 12.15; sales, 3,000 bales.

Futures steady. Prices ranged as follows:

	Opening.	Closing.
May	11.49	11.34
June	11.20	11.09
July	11.20	11.08
August	10.95	10.81
September	10.70	10.56
October	10.62	10.55
November	——	10.51
December	10.64	10.53
January	10.67	10.58
February	10.68	10.58
March	10.75	10.65

Port Movements.

Galveston—Dull, 11 7-16c.; net receipts, 1,560 bales.

New Orleans—Easy, 11 5-16c.; net receipts, 1,788 bales.

Mobile—Quiet, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 941 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 2,718 bales.

Charleston—Firm, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 503 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 2,010 bales.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 2,348 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4c.; net receipts, 850 bales.

New York—Quiet, 11.90.

Boston—Quiet, 11.90; net receipts, 38 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady; net receipts, 123 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 1,906 bales. Exports: Continent, 7,415 bales; Stock, 151,807 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 21,578 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 6,658 bales; Continent, 2,343,332 bales; Japan, 115,379 bales; Mexico, 2,764 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 7,367,179 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 2,645,805 bales; France, 641,898 bales; Continent, 2,343,232 Japan, 115,379 bales; Mexico, 2,764 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 329 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-16c.; net receipts, 132 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 100 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 7-16c.; net receipts, 21 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 281 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5-8c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 21.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; prices unchanged. American middling 6.18d.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,500 were for speculation and export and included 11,400 American. Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 1,000 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet. American middling, G. O. C.: May, 5.96d.; May and June, 5.96d.; June and July, 5.97d.; July and August, 5.97d.; August and September, 5.96d.; September and October, 5.79d.; October and November, 5.72d.; November and December, 5.70d.; December and January, 5.71d.; January and February, 5.72d.; February and March 5.73d.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, May 21.—Money on call easy, 2@3 1-2 per cent. Ruling rate, 3; closing bid and offered, 2. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 4 1-4 per cent; ninety days, 4 1-2; six months, 4 3-4@5. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 1-2. Sterling exchange steady at 485.25@485.30 for demand and at 482 @482.05 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 483 and 486 1-2. Commercial bills, 481 3-4. Bar silver, 67 5-8. Mexican dollars, 52 1-2.

U. S. Bonds.

U. S. Refunding, 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. Refunding, 2s cou.	103 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou ex in	102 3-4
U. S. old, 4s reg	103 1-4
U. S. old, 4s. cou.	103 1-4
U. S. New, 4s reg	129 1-4
U. S. New, 4s cou.	129 1-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	79 1-2
American Tobacco, 5s cert	113 3-4
A. C. L., 4s	99 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	102 3-8
L. & N. Unified	103
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	87 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s	117 1-2
U. S. Steel, 2nd 5s ex-in	98

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	109 1-4
American Sugar Refining	135 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	103 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	144
Baltimore & Ohio	107 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	93 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	58 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	144 1-2
Manhattan L	152
New York Central	139 1-2
Norfolk & Western	89 1-2
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	91
Reading	132
Reading, 1st pfd	92
Reading, 2nd pfd	93 1-2
Southern Pacific	65
Southern Pacific, pfd	118 7-8
Southern Railway	37 7-8
Southern Railway, pfd	99 3-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	144
U. S. Steel	40 5-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	105 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	51
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	—
S. A. L.	—
S. A. L., pfd	—
Standard Oil	623
Western Union	92

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, May 21.—Absence of rain in the southwest was the chief reason to-day for a strong tone in the local wheat market. At the close wheat for July delivery was up 5-8@3-4. Corn was up 7-8@1c. Oats showed a gain of 7-8. Provisions were 7 1-2 to 15c. higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High	Low	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	84⅞	86¾	84¾	86¼
July	83	84½	83	83⅝
Sept	81	82½	81	81⅞
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	48	49⅝	48	49¼
July	47¼	48⅝	47¼	48¼
Sept	47⅜	48⅝	47⅜	48⅜
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	33¾	34¾	33⅝	34⅜
July	33½	34½	33¼	34
Sept	31½	32⅝	31½	32⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	15.40	15.65	15.40	15.62½
July	15.50	15.77½	15.50	15.72½
Sept	15.32½	15.55	15.82½	15.52½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.42½	8.55	8.42½	8.55
July	8.52½	8.67½	8.52½	8.65
Sept	8.67½	8.80	8.67½	8.80
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	....	....	....	9.00
July	8.95	9.10	8.95	9.07½
Sep	8.97½	9:05	8.97½	9.05

Cash quotations were as follows:

Four, firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 85@87; No. 3 spring wheat, 79@85; No. 2 red, 89¾@92; No. 2 corn, 49¾; No. 2 yellow, 50¼; No. 2 oats, 34⅜; No. 2 white, 34¾@35; No. 3 white, 33½@34½; No. 2 rye, 62; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.95@9.05; Mess pork, per bbl., 15.60@15.65; Lard, per 100 lbs., 8.57½; Short clear side(loose), 9.20@9.30; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, May 21.—Flour, firmer.

WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 93 nominal elevator. Options, 1 to 1 1-4c. net higher. Hay, 91 3-4; July, 89 5-8; September, 86 5-8; December, 87 3-8.

CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 57 1-2 nominal elevator. Options 1@1 1-4 above Saturday. May ,58; July, 55 3-8; September, 55 3-8; December, 54 5-8.

OATS—Firm; mixed, 39@39 1-2.

LARD—Firm; western, 8.70@8.80.

Refined, steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Dull.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet. Mild, steady. Futures, steady; unchanged, to 5 points lower.

SUGAR—RAW, Steady; fair refining, 2 29-32@2 15-16; centrifugal, 3 13-32@3 7-15; molasses sugar, 2 21-32 @2 11-16. Refined, steady.

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EGGS—Firmer; nearby selected, 21; western firsts, 17 1-2; southern, 14@16.

CABBAGES—Irregular, 1.25@3.00 per crate.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Quiet; Cotton by steam, 15c.; grain by steam, 1 1-8c.

PEANUTS—Easy; fancy handpicked, 4 1-2@4 3-4; other domestic, 2@4 1-2.

POTATOES—Steady; Bermuda per barrel, 3@6.00; southern, 2.50@4.75; Maine per bag, 2.10@2.50; State and western, 2.15@2.25; European, 1.75@2.00; Jersey sweets per barrel, 1.50@3.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 21.—The drygoods market to-day firm with a fair volume of mail orders. The active week in Summer fabrics enjoyed by the retail trade was reflected in the jobbing houses during the day. Bleached sheetings and printcloth convertibles were stronger.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 21.—Turpentine firm, 61 1-2 to 62; rosin, firm.

Savannah, May 21. — Turpentine steady, 58 1-2@59; sales, 286; receipts, 594; shipments, 292.

Rosin, firm; sales, 1,867; receipts, 933; shipments, 1,470; stock 48,347. Quote: A. B. C., 3.80@3.85; D., 4.00; E., 4.35; F., 4.40@4.45; G., 4.50; H., 4.55; I., 4.60; K., 4.75; M., 4.80; N., 4.85; W. G., 4.90; W. W., 4.95@5.05.

Charleston, May 21.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Schooners.

Joel Cook, 329 tons, Walker, C. D. Maffitt.

Eliza A. Scribner, 350 tons, Dodd, C. D. Maffitt.

Jno. M. Brown, 370 tons, Gray, C. D. Maffitt.

Rhoda (Br), 199 tons, Manthorn, C. C. Covington & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—21 bales cotton, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—203 bales cotton, 10 barrels rosin, 47 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,680 bales cotton, 28 casks spirits turpentine, 54 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 91 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—92 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 53 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—14 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—24 casks spirits turpentine, 78 barrels rosin.

Total—2,010 bales cotton, 86 casks spirits turpentine, 233 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 197 barrels crude turpentine.

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By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Charles Shepard administrator of Jane Williams, deceased, against Maggie McNeil, the undersigned Commissioner will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday the 4th day of June, 1906, at 12 o'clock M., the following described property in the City of Wilmington, beginning in the North line of Orange street, 75 feet West of the Western line of Tenth street, thence runs West with the Northern line of Orange street, 37 1-2 feet; thence North parallel with Tenth street 60 feet; thence East parallel with Orance street, 37 1-2 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Tenth street, 60 feet; thence East parallel with Orange street, 37 1-2 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Tenth street 60 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6 and 6 1-2, Block 147.

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MAY BE TROUBLE ON CANAL ZONE

Revolution of Liberals Against Government of Panama is Apprehended

UNCLE SAM WILL TAKE HAND

United States Marines and Large and Well Trained Police Force Will Protect Canal—Outlook is Quite Threatening.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—More than 600 marines will confront the Liberals on the Isthmus of Panama in case they attempt to promote riots and revolution at the time of the election in Panama on June 20th. Although the canal zone is under the Secretary of War, there is no indication that the War Department will have any troops near the isthmus at the time of the approaching election and Secretary Taft must rely upon the marine corps to protect the canal zone.

Only 200 marines are at the isthmus at present. These are in command of Major J. C. G. Long. More than 200 marines are on the Columbia which is on its way to Guantanamo and will be in easy call in case politics become stormy in Panama. This large detachment of marines is in command of Major Lejeune. The Marblehead which now sailing southward down the Mexican coast and is only a few days from the isthmus, carries only a small detachment of marines and cannot add much strength to any land expedition which may be necessary to quiet the political situation which is so threatening.

The zone police force has been strengthened materially and is so well equipped that it is in reality a miniature army and is ready for service at any time. Under the leadership of the well trained marines it is believed the police force will be able to quell any disturbance which may arise. The Panama railway affords such excellent transportation facilities that troops can be hastened to any possible scene of trouble in the canal zone without delay. This insures the protection of all American property interests. Secretary Root and Secretary Taft have also made it clear that they will take a hand in disturbances outside the zone and if the Liberals begin any movement against the present government of Panama it will be with full knowledge that the United States expects to intervene in disturbances which will delay the canal work or affect it in any way.

REVOLT IN THE ISLE OF PINES.

Americans Own Island and Will Not Submit to Cuba.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—According to a statement by S. H. Pearcy, a large land owner in the Isle of Pines, a revolt against Cuban authority in that island will occur in the near future unless the United States resumes control over it.

Mr. Pearcy and his brother, J. L. Pearcy, called at the White House today but the President declined to see them and were referred to Secretary Root. Mr. Pearcy declared that he did not come to Washington to threaten the President with a revolution in which hundreds of American lives would be endangered, but simply to tell him the facts. He said that Americans now own nine-tenths of the property in the island which they purchased soley on the assurances of President McKinley and the War Department that the island was American soil. Conditions, he said, have reached a critical stage and the majority of the American have stated that they will stand their oppression no longer. Mr. Pearcy said that these American citizens have received many offers of aid from persons in the United States in the cause of a revolt.

PANAMA CANAL CONSTRUCTION.

Secretary Tafts Estimate of This Year's Expenses $26,348,281.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—The detailed estimates, for all expenses incident to the construction of the Panama canal for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, were sent to the House to-day by Secretary Taft, transmitted through the Treasury Department.

The estimates aggregate $26,348,281. They are contained under five heads and are given in such details as to occupy twenty printed pages The sub-divisions include:

pay of officers and employes other than skilled and unskilled labor on the isthmus $9,315,498; for skilled labor on the isthmus $5,593,020; for unskilled labor on the isthmus $4,148,459; for purchase and delivery of material, supplies and equipment for the Isthmus of Panama $10,374,511; to authorize the loan to the Panama Railroad Company, under the terms expressed in the act of Congress of February 27, 1906, for the purchase and delivery of new equipment and improvements $1,250,000; for miscellaneous expenditures, cable and telegraph service, stationery and printing and traveling and incidental expenses on the isthmus $649,670.

Read Star Business Locals.

SENATOR BURTON UP AGAINST IT

Supreme Court of United States Snstains Judgment of Circuit Court

SENATOR MUST GO TO JAIL

Will Also Have to Pay Fine of $2,500 and Can Never Hold Office Under the Government Again—Will Be Expelled.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, May 21.—The Supreme Court of the United States today rendered a decision in the case of United States vs. Sen. Jos. R. Burton, of Kansas. The decision was against Burton, affirming the decision of the United States Circuit Court for the eastern district of Missouri by which Burton was sentenced to six months imprisonment in the jail of Iron county, Missouri, required to pay a fine of $2,500 and deprived of the right to hereafter hold office under the government. The opinion was by Justice Harlan. All the points made in Burton's interest were overruled.

Senator Burton was prosecuted on the charge of violating Section 1782 of the Revised Statutes, which prohibits Senators and Representatives from receiving compensation for services rendered before any of the government departments in any matter in which the government may be interested. He was specifically charged with accepting a fee of $500 per month for five months from the Rialto Grain and Securities Company of St. Louis for services rendered that company in an effort to prevent the issuance of an order by the Postoffice Department prohibiting the use of the mails by the company.

Justices Brewer, White and Peckham, united in a dissenting opinion delivered by Justice Brewer.

The court granted a motion to give sixty days to Senator Burton in which to prepare a petition for a rehearing. The action will have the effect of taking the case over until the next term of the court in October.

That the Senate will be compelled to take cognizance of the case is indicated by the decision. Justice Harlan held that the sentence could not cover an election to the United States Senate as "they do not hold their places under the government of the United States."

To the newspaper men who called to see him, Senator Burton said:

"I shall adhere to my original policy of saying nothing until my case is finally determined." He would not say, in reply to a question, that he intended to take further legal steps, but from the fact that he does not regard his case finally decided, in view of the sixty days granted for a re-hearing, it is inferred that he will do so.

If Senator Burton does not resign "at once," as a prominent Senator puts it, a resolution will be introduced to declare his seat vacant.

MECKLENBURG CELEBRATION.

Thousands Witness Features of Open Day at Charlotte Yesterday.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., May 21.—The celebration of the one hundred and thirty-first anniversary of the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence began here today and will continue through Thursday. The feature of today's exercises was a dress ceremonial drill by Troop G., Thirteenth Regiment, United States cavalry, under Captain T. M. Corcoran, at the fair grounds, which was witnessed by about ten thousand people. Music was furnished by the marine band and the third regiment band of this State. A drill by troops of United States infantry and marines was also witnessed by large crowds. Tomorrow, military day, State troops from North and South Carolina will give exhibition drills as will also the United States troops. Tonight an informal reception to visitors was given by the Southern Manufacturers' Club at which Governor Glenn and staff were present. The town is flooded with visitors.

Norfolk, Va., May 21.—Captain Zulick, U. S. Marine corps, two officers and sixty eight men have left the Norfolk navy yard for Charlotte, N. C., to represent the United States naval service at the exercises in connection with the Mecklenburg celebration.

The American minister to Chile, Mr. Hicks, has notified the State Department that the Chilean government has accepted the invitation of the President to participate in the naval and marine exposition in Hampton Roads next year commemorative of the ter-centennial of the settlement of Jamestown. Minister Hicks writes that the Chilean navy will be represented by the cruiser Baquedano.

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PLURAL WIVES OF NEW CONVERTS

Southern Presbyterian General Assembly Discussing Question of Recognizing Polygamy

CONVERTS MAY RETAIN WIVES

Synod of Virginia So Held But Assembly is Asked to Revise Decision—Church and Christian Education Policy.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Greenville, S. C., May 21.—The active hard work of the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church began today. One of the first matters to reach a conclusion was the adoption of the report of the committee on church and Christian education which urged the appointment of a general executive committee and secretary to have charge of the work.

The complaint of Dr. S. S. Laws, against the Synod of Virginia, was made the order for the afternoon session. Dr. Laws claims that when a man is converted, whose country legalizes more than one wife, it should annul all marriages excepting the first and that when he is brought into the church he should not be allowed to marry until he shall become a widower. The Synod of Virginia, on the contrary, believes it unwise that such a man should annul any of the marriages, but that he should be brought into the church with all his wives but should be prohibited from contracting further marriages.

At the afternoon session it was decided that the Caldwell heresy case be placed upon the docket, which means that the case may come up at any hour. The case is known as the complaint of Rev. William E. Caldwell against the Synod of Texas. The case began two years ago when Mr. Caldwell was called to the First Presbyterian church at Fort Worth. After the customary examination he was installed as pastor. Individuals later complained to the Synod of Texas that Dr. Caldwell's doctrine was not sound and the Synod recommended to the Fort Worth Presbytery to dissolve relations between the First Presbyterian church and Dr. Caldwell. It referred the charges back to the Fort Worth Presbytery to be acted upon. The judicial committee, of which Dr. J. W. Stagg is chairman, reported to the General Assembly today that the committee is doubtful whether this case should be referred to the General Assembly for action and recommended that the case be heard in open session tomorrow to determine whether or not the case should come before this assembly.

The assembly discussed at length the recommendation that forty old hymns be put back in the hymn book and the recommendedation was adopted. There may be a reprint of the "Distance Principles of the Southern Presbyterian Church," a book which was published in 1861. Members of the assembly claim that the book should be revised, claiming that relations had changed, as well as other many changes having taken place. It was decided that "ad interim" committee be appointed to determine whether the book should be revised and report to the next assembly. This committee also was directed to investigate the reprint and revision of other literature.

The General Assembly tonight attended the commencement exercises of Chicora college, an institution for young ladies.

The committee of thirteen one from each Synod to report on the articles of federation, was organized this afternoon by the election of Dr. A. J. McKleway, of North Carolina, as chairman. The lines between the Union and anti-union forces were drawn in the election.

A majority and a minority report were decided upon. The majority report recommending that the Southern church shall adopt the articles of agreement, erecting a federative council, is signed by the chairman and six members of the committee and the minority report by Dr. Eugene Daniel, of Virginia, and four other members. The report will be presented tomorrow and will be the most important matter brought before the Southern Assembly.

PREVENTION OF CONSUMPTION.

North Carolina Physician Outlines System at Washington Gathering.

Washington, May 21.—The Association of President and Secretaries of State boards of health met here today in annual convention to consider questions of sanitation and the greater co-operation of State boards of health throughout the country. The subject today was tuberculosis. The principal address was by Dr. Richard Lewis, of Raleigh, N. C., who said that the prevention of tuberculosis was very much more important than its cure, and he outlined a system of public education by means of travelling lectures and literature which could be carried on at the annual expense of running one small sanitarium, and would, he said, reach 150,000 people directly in each State, and indirectly, practically all the inhabitants of each State. The meeting will continue through Wednesday.

METHODIST FAITH STIRS CONFERENCE

Protest Against Re-statement Calls for Vigorous Explanation From Committee

NO REVISION IS INTENDED

Amazement Expressed That Matter is Misunderstood—Petitions Congress to prohibit Sunday Openings of Jamestown Exposition.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Birmingham, Ala., May 21.—The sixteenth business day of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, began today with devotional services led by Rev. J. C. Reed, of Virginia. Bishop J. J. Tiget, who was ordained yesterday, presided. A motion fixing the first Wednesday in May, 1910, as the time for holding the next conference prevailed.

A discussion arose over the report of the church extension committee which made several changes in the personnel of the board, but the report was adopted. The report recommended hearty support of the church extension work, especially in the new fields of Cuba, Oklahoma and Indian Territory and the rural districts of the South.

An answer by the special committee appointed for the purpose was made to the recent protest filed against the new statement of faith. The answer was signed by C. M. Bishop, O. E. Brown and J. C. Scruggs, and said that the protest had been read with sorrow and amazement." The reply also stated that it had not been suggested by any report of the majority that there should be or was needed any revision of the faith, but that the conference only authorized the commission to invite other branches of the Methodist faith to unite in preparing "an adequate statement of the common faith of the followers of John Wesley." The reply was severe in some particulars and dealt with the subject at considerable detail.

After the document had been read, Bishop Ward took the chair, An amendment was made to the report of the committee on Sabbath observance which was adopted, calling on Congress to require that the gates of the Jamestown Exposition be closed on Sunday.

A telegram of greeting was received from the Cumberland Presbyterian General Assembly at Decatur, Ills.

The Epworth League board was elected as follows: Bishop A. W. Wilson, president; J. M. Barcus, A. F. Watkins, W. T. McClure, T. B. King, E. P. Peabody and J. G. Brown.

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